



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 06809.0020-04000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Randy W. WESTLUND et al.)	
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Application No.: 10/730,269)	Group Art Unit: 3762
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Filed: December 9, 2003)	Examiner: Unknown
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For: MODIFIED GUIDEWIRE FOR)	
LEFT VENTRICULAR ACCESS)	Confirmation No.: 3325
LEAD)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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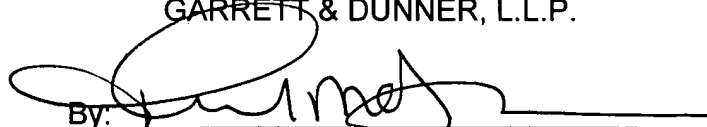
Enclosed please find the following:

1. Petition for Extension of Time - Five Months (1 page);
2. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (2 pages) with a copy of the Notice (2 pages) and an executed Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition (3 pages);
3. Supplemental Preliminary Amendment (3 pages); and
4. Check in the amount of \$3,000.00 to cover the \$130.00 surcharge fee, \$790.00 filing fee, and \$2,080.00 five month extension of time fee.

Please grant any extensions of time required and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: October 12, 2004

By: 
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